

## Message Text

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ACTION EB-08

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 EUR-12 H-01 /022 W  
-----291122Z 022707 /22  
P 290720Z MAR 77  
FM AMEMBASSY PRAGUE  
TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 2360

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DEPT FOR EB/OCA

E.O. 11652: N/A  
TAGS: BGEN, XX, CZ  
SUBJ: COMMERCIAL PROGRAM: RESPONSE TO CONGRESSIONAL SUBCOMMITTEE  
REQUEST

REF: STATE 065702

1. IN RESPONSE TO REFTEL, EMBASSY NOW HAS ON FILE  
LETTERS FROM FOLLOWING NUMBER OF FIRMS COMMENTING ON  
EMBASSY'S COMMERCIAL SERVICES:

(A) COMMENTING FAVORABLY:

1975 - 10;

1976 - 27;

(B) COMMENTING ADVERSELY:

1975 - ZERO;

1976 - ZERO.

2. REFTEL ARRIVED SHORTLY AFTER EMBASSY DISCARDED  
APPROXIMATELY 20 LETTERS FROM 1975 AND 10 FROM 1976  
COMMENTING FAVORABLY. WE HAVE NO RECORD OF EVER HAVING  
RECEIVED LETTER COMMENTING ADVERSELY, AND NO  
CURRENT AMERICAN OR LOCAL E/C EMPLOYEE RECALLS HAVING  
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SEEN ONE. HOWEVER, WE WOULD CERTAINLY RETAIN  
ALL CRITICAL LETTERS EVEN THOUGH WE HAVE NOT  
RETAINED ALL FAVORABLE LETTERS IN  
PAST BUT KEPT ONLY A SAMPLING FOR USE IN PRE-  
PARING OFFICER EVALUATION REPORTS.  
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## Message Attributes

**Automatic Decaptioning:** Z  
**Capture Date:** 01-Jan-1994 12:00:00 am  
**Channel Indicators:** n/a  
**Current Classification:** UNCLASSIFIED  
**Concepts:** n/a  
**Control Number:** n/a  
**Copy:** SINGLE  
**Sent Date:** 29-Mar-1977 12:00:00 am  
**Decaption Date:** 22 May 2009  
**Decaption Note:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Action:** RELEASED  
**Disposition Approved on Date:**  
**Disposition Case Number:** n/a  
**Disposition Comment:** 25 YEAR REVIEW  
**Disposition Date:** 22 May 2009  
**Disposition Event:**  
**Disposition History:** n/a  
**Disposition Reason:**  
**Disposition Remarks:**  
**Document Number:** 1977PRAGUE00798  
**Document Source:** CORE  
**Document Unique ID:** 00  
**Drafter:** n/a  
**Enclosure:** n/a  
**Executive Order:** N/A  
**Errors:** N/A  
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**To:** STATE  
**Type:** TE  
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